

REMARKS

Claims 4-6, 8-13 and 15-16 remain in this application.

Claims 1-3, 7, 14 and 17 are canceled. Applicants reserve the right to re-present these claims in a continuation to continue the prosecution thereof.

Claims 4-6 and 8-13 are rewritten in independent form. Claims 4-6 include all of the limitations recited by claim 1, the claim from which claims 4-6 depended. Similarly, claims 8-13 include all of the limitations recited by claim 7, the claim from which claims 8-13 depended. The Examiner is thanked for noting the allowability of claims 4-6 and 8-13. It is respectfully submitted that these claims now are in condition for allowance.

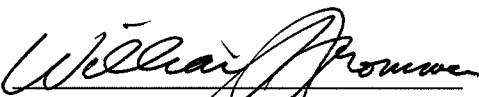
Claims 15-16 were withdrawn from consideration following the election of species requirement dated June 30, 2008. However, since allowed generic claims remain in this application, the withdrawal of that election of species requirement is respectfully solicited.

It is respectfully submitted the present application now is in condition for allowance; and early notice to that effect is requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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